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ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 056103-5072-07

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Carl H. Knowles et al. )  
Application No.: 09/346,859 ) Examiner: A. Trail  
Filed: July 2, 1999 ) Group Art Unit: 2876  
For: SYSTEM FOR READING BAR CODE ) Confirmation No. 2972  
SYMBOLS USING PORTABLE BAR )  
CODE SYMBOL READERS HAVING RF )  
SIGNAL TRANSMISSION LINKS WITH )  
BASE STATIONS (As Amended) )  
**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM**

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment responding to the Office Action dated August 29, 2005.
2. Additional papers enclosed:

Terminal Disclaimers (3)  
 Revocation of Previous Power(s) of Attorney and Grant of New Power of Attorney  
 Drawings:  Formal  Informal (Correction)  
 Information Disclosure Statement  
 Form PTO-1449, \_\_\_\_\_ references included  
 Citations  
 Declaration of Biological Deposit  
 Submission of "Sequence Listing", computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence.

3. Extension of Time

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Applicants petition for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

Total Months <u>Requested</u>	Fee for <u>Extension</u>	[Fee for Small Entity]
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$ 1,590.00	\$ 795.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$\_\_\_\_\_

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

4. Terminal Disclaimer Fee

The Terminal Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) in the present instance is believed to be \$390.00. As indicated below, such fees, including any underpayment or overpayment, may be charged/credited to Deposit Account 50-0310.

5. Constructive Petition

EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).



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6. Claims Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	8	Minus	20	0	x \$50 each=	+ \$
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	1	minus	3	0	x \$200 each=	+ \$
[ ] First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s)					\$360.00	+ \$
TOTAL CLAIMS FEES =						\$ 0.00

7. Fee Payment

- No fee is to be paid at this time.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the terminal disclaimer fees of **\$390.00** to Deposit Account 50-0310.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

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